

benefits and reduces taxes on railroad employers. This sensible legislation is supported by both railroad management and most labor unions.

Last year, this House overwhelmingly passed similar legislation, but the Senate failed to act on it. Let's not make our railroad retirees and their families wait any longer for this needed reform. I urge my colleagues in both chambers to support quick passage and enactment of this legislation.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SUNUNU). The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Alaska (Mr. YOUNG) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1140, as amended.

The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds of those present have voted in the affirmative.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Mr. Speaker, on that, I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 384, nays 33, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 305]

YEAS—384

Abercrombie	Cardin	Ferguson
Ackerman	Carson (IN)	Finler
Aderholt	Carson (OK)	Fletcher
Akin	Castle	Foley
Allen	Chambliss	Forbes
Andrews	Clay	Ford
Army	Clayton	Fossella
Baca	Clement	Frank
Bachus	Clyburn	Frost
Baird	Coble	Gallegly
Baker	Collins	Ganske
Baldacci	Combest	Gekas
Baldwin	Condit	Gephardt
Barcia	Conyers	Gibbons
Barr	Cooksey	Gilchrest
Barrett	Costello	Gillmor
Bartlett	Coyne	Gilman
Barton	Crane	Gonzalez
Bass	Crenshaw	Goode
Becerra	Crowley	Goodlatte
Bentsen	Cubin	Gordon
Bereuter	Culberson	Goss
Berkley	Cummings	Graham
Berman	Cunningham	Granger
Berry	Davis (CA)	Graves
Biggert	Davis (FL)	Green (TX)
Bilirakis	Davis (IL)	Green (WI)
Bishop	Davis, Jo Ann	Greenwood
Blagojevich	Davis, Tom	Grucci
Blumenauer	Deal	Gutierrez
Blunt	DeFazio	Gutknecht
Boehlert	DeGette	Hall (OH)
Boehner	Delahunt	Hall (TX)
Bonilla	DeLauro	Hansen
Bonior	Deutsch	Harman
Bono	Diaz-Balart	Hart
Borski	Dicks	Hastings (WA)
Boswell	Dingell	Hayes
Boucher	Doggett	Hayworth
Boyd	Dooley	Hill
Brady (PA)	Doolittle	Hilleary
Brady (TX)	Doyle	Hilliard
Brown (FL)	Dreier	Hinchee
Brown (OH)	Duncan	Hinojosa
Brown (SC)	Dunn	Hobson
Bryant	Edwards	Hoefel
Burr	Ehlers	Holden
Burton	Ehrlich	Holt
Buyer	Emerson	Honda
Callahan	Engel	Hooley
Calvert	English	Horn
Camp	Eshoo	Hostettler
Cannon	Etheridge	Houghton
Cantor	Evans	Hoyer
Capito	Everett	Hulshof
Capps	Farr	Hunter
Capuano	Fattah	Inslee

Isakson	Mica	Schiff
Israel	Millender-	Schrock
Issa	McDonald	Scott
Istook	Miller, George	Serrano
Jackson (IL)	Mink	Sessions
Jackson-Lee	Mollohan	Shaw
(TX)	Moore	Sherman
Jefferson	Moran (KS)	Sherwood
Jenkins	Morella	Shimkus
John	Murtha	Shows
Johnson (CT)	Napolitano	Shuster
Johnson (IL)	Neal	Simmons
Johnson, E. B.	Nethercutt	Simpson
Kanjorski	Ney	Skeen
Kaptur	Northup	Skelton
Keller	Norwood	Slaughter
Kelly	Nussle	Smith (NJ)
Kennedy (MN)	Oberstar	Smith (TX)
Kennedy (RI)	Obey	Smith (WA)
Kerns	Oliver	Snyder
Kildee	Ortiz	Solis
Kilpatrick	Osborne	Souder
Kind (WI)	Ose	Spratt
King (NY)	Otter	Stearns
Kingston	Owens	Strickland
Kirk	Pallone	Stump
Kleczka	Pascarell	Stupak
Knollenberg	Pastor	Sweeney
Kucinich	Payne	Tanner
LaFalce	Pelosi	Tauscher
LaHood	Peterson (PA)	Tauzin
Lampson	Petri	Taylor (NC)
Langevin	Phelps	Terry
Lantos	Pickering	Thompson (CA)
Larsen (WA)	Platts	Thompson (MS)
Larson (CT)	Pombo	Thornberry
Latham	Pomeroy	Thune
LaTourette	Portman	Thurman
Lee	Price (NC)	Tiahrt
Levin	Pryce (OH)	Tiberi
Lewis (CA)	Putnam	Tierney
Lewis (GA)	Quinn	Towns
Lewis (KY)	Radanovich	Traficant
Linder	Rahall	Turner
LoBiondo	Ramstad	Udall (CO)
Lofgren	Rangel	Udall (NM)
Lowey	Regula	Upton
Lucas (KY)	Rehberg	Velazquez
Lucas (OK)	Reyes	Visclosky
Luther	Reynolds	Vitter
Maloney (CT)	Riley	Walden
Maloney (NY)	Rivers	Walsh
Manzullo	Rodriguez	Wamp
Mascara	Roemer	Waters
Gekas	Rogers (KY)	Watkins (OK)
Matheson	Rogers (MI)	Watt (NC)
Matsui	Ros-Lehtinen	Watts (OK)
McCarthy (MO)	Ross	Waxman
McCarthy (NY)	Rothman	Weiner
McCollum	Roukema	Weldon (PA)
McCrery	Roybal-Allard	Weller
McDermott	Rush	Wexler
McGovern	Ryan (WI)	Whitfield
McHugh	Ryun (KS)	Wicker
McInnis	Sabo	Wilson
McIntyre	Sanchez	Wolf
McKeon	Sanders	Woolsey
McKinney	Sandlin	Wu
McNulty	Sawyer	Wynn
Meehan	Saxton	Young (AK)
Meek (FL)	Scarborough	Young (FL)
Meeks (NY)	Schakowsky	
Menendez		

NAYS—33

Ballenger	Jones (NC)	Schaffer
Chabot	Kolbe	Sensenbrenner
Cox	Largent	Shadegg
DeLay	Miller (FL)	Shays
DeMint	Miller, Gary	Smith (MI)
Flake	Myrick	Stenholm
Frelinghuysen	Paul	Sununu
Hefley	Pence	Tancredo
Herger	Pitts	Taylor (MS)
Hoekstra	Rohrabacher	Thomas
Johnson, Sam	Royce	Weldon (FL)

NOT VOTING—16

Cramer	Lipinski	Spence
Hastings (FL)	Markey	Stark
Hutchinson	Moran (VA)	Toomey
Hyde	Nadler	Watson (CA)
Jones (OH)	Oxley	
Leach	Peterson (MN)	

□ 1956

Mr. THOMAS and Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mr. BLUNT changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Ms. WATSON of California. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 305, had I not been detained at a speaking event, I would have voted "aye" on rollcall No. 305.

#### GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks on H.R. 1140, the bill just passed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SUNUNU). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Alaska?

There was no objection.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 3, 2001, and under a previous order of the House, the following Members will be recognized for 5 minutes each.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. SMITH) is recognized for 5 minutes.

(Mr. SMITH of Michigan addressed the House. His remarks will appear hereafter in the Extensions of Remarks.)

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BROWN) is recognized for 5 minutes.

(Mr. BROWN of Ohio addressed the House. His remarks will appear hereafter in the Extensions of Remarks.)

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#### BONUSES FOR TOP U.S. POSTAL SERVICE EXECUTIVES

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SHUSTER). Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from North Carolina (Mr. JONES) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. JONES of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I wanted to take just a few minutes tonight to talk about the raises that the executives in the post office decided to give themselves, which is kind of ironic when small businesses in America, as well as those who need to send out flyers about their businesses and what they are hoping to do to increase their business, are paying the rates.

Let me give an example. I have a Washington Post article that ran last week, and the first part of the article says, "The U.S. Postal Service is starting at a \$2 billion deficit this year, yet